

Oxalis pes-caprae

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.34**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte, Geophyte**

Flower

Flowering period: **January-May, November-December**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Local non-specific dispersal, Anthropochory**

Dispersal distance class: **2, 7**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **no nitrogen-fixing symbionts**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **neophyte**

Ecology

Environmental relationships

Substrate humidity relationship: **Dry**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Slightly acidic to near-neutral**

Nutrient relationship: **Eutrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7.3**

Temperature indicator value: **9.5**

Moisture indicator value: **3.8**

Reaction indicator value: **6.8**

Nutrient indicator value: **6**

Salinity indicator value: **0.2**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.72**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.84**

Disturbance severity: **0.79**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.66**

Mowing frequency: **0.35**

Grazing pressure: **0.23**

Soil disturbance: **0.38**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [QA \(PAR\) *Papaveretea rhoeadis*](#), [QC \(CHE\) *Chenopodietea*](#)

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [T25 *Phoenix theophrasti* vegetation](#)

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: [T25 *Phoenix theophrasti* vegetation](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Forest, Synanthropic**